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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REMARKS

Applicant's representative provisionally elects with traverse claims 1-10, Group I. Applicant's representative respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw the restriction requirement.

Group I, claims 1-10 and Group II, claims 11-20, are not separate groups. An application may be properly required to be